From: <u>Sanchez, Carlos</u>

To: Edlund, Carl; Villarreal, Chris; Meyer, John; Walters, Donn; Miller, Garyg

Cc: Phillips, Pam

Subject: RE: FOX 26 LASTNIGHT - New EPA Study of San Jacinto Waste Pits

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Carl, Here are the talking points we prepared.

- Because of the complexity of the San Jacinto River Waste Pits Superfund Site, the EPA has
 decided that additional information is needed prior to a recommendation of a cleanup
 alternative. The EPA plans to undertake an independent review of site modelling and
 potential river/weather conditions that might influence remedy selection. The National
 Remedy Review Board may be rescheduled at a future date. Once this is completed, the EPA
 will announce a proposed alternative in a Proposed Plan that will be available for public
 comment. The EPA will also host a public meeting during the comment period to allow public
 participation in the remedy selection process. The EPA anticipates that the Proposed Plan will
 be released for public comment during 2015. The EPA will continue to communicate with site
 stakeholders and the community on the progress at the Site.
- The EPA has conducted a strong community outreach effort for the San Jacinto Site, including holding a community meeting in January this year in Highlands TX, as well as mailing a fact sheet in June to community members to provide the latest Site information. EPA has also provided a Technical Assistance Grant to the Galveston Bay Foundation to interpret and explain technical reports and Site conditions to the community. Both EPA and the Galveston Bay Foundation maintain web sites with Site information.
- EPA is coordinating community involvement activities with State and local agencies through the Community Advisory Committee; this committee includes TCEQ; Harris County; Port of Houston; Galveston Bay Foundation; and the Potentially Responsible Parties.

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So ...when I get to the EJ conference, what is my sound bite??

Do I have a copy of the announcement about the Corps??

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FYI – news video about San Jacinto

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